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Robert K. Stewart  
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Re: Formal Transmittal of EPA Comments on Riverland Sampling  
Plan to the Administrative Record.

Dear Mr. Stewart:

The purpose of this letter is to formally transmit comments  
from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) on the  
Riverland Sampling Plan to the Administrative Record. These  
comments were sent to you informally via HLAN on October 15, ✓  
1992.

If you have any questions feel free to contact me at (509)  
376-8631.

Sincerely,

Dennis Faulk  
Operable Unit Manager

Enclosure:

cc: Becky Austin, WHC  
Jack Donnelly, Ecology  
Wayne Johnson, WHC  
Administrative Record (Riverland Rail Wash ERA)

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Comment:

No mention is made of how waste generated during sampling activities will be handled.  
A reference to EII 4.3 should be provided.

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No mention of how the excavation are to be backfilled is made.  
Also if the soil is highly contaminated how will it be handled?

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In order to write a record of decision for this site some sampling of the Anti Aircraft sites will need to occur. This can be done now or after the EE/CA is written.

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